

**THE MINUTES OF THE HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE  
ON  
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS**

**Tuesday, June 6, 2006**

**10:30 a.m.**

**Room 326 House Office Building**

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The House Standing Committee on Government Operations was called to order by **Representative Leon Drolet**, Chair.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Representatives Drolet, Hoogendyk, Gosselin, Garfield, Sheen, Emmons and Tobocman.

**MEMBERS ABSENT/EXCUSED:** Representatives Lipsey and Lemmons, III.

**Chairman Drolet** laid **HB 6110** before the committee:

HB 6110   Hildenbrand      Recreation; state parks; renaming of the "White Pine Trail State Park" to the "Fred Meijer White Pine Trail"; provide for.

**TESTIMONY**

**Representative Hildenbrand**, sponsor of HB 6110, explained his bill to the committee.

**Rodney Stokes**, Legislative Liaison, representing the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (DNR), testified and did not indicate a position on the bill.

**Nancy Krupiarz**, representing the Michigan Trails and Greenways Alliance, testified in support of the bill.

**Jason Dinsmore**, representing the Michigan United Conservation Clubs, submitted a card in opposition to the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Representative Garfield** moved to report **HB 6110** with recommendation. The motion was supported by **Representative Sheen**.

The motion prevailed by a vote of **6-0-1**.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Drolet, Hoogendyk, Gosselin, Garfield, Sheen and Emmons,

Nays: None,

Pass: Representative Tobocman.

**Chairman Drolet** laid **SB 1052** before the committee:

SB 1052    Allen                      Gaming; horse racing; wagers placed by racing commissioner and immediate family members; prohibit.

**TESTIMONY**

**Joe Agostinelli**, from Senator Allen's office, testified in support of the bill.

**Liesl Clark**, representing the Michigan Department of Agriculture, submitted a card in support of the bill and did not wish to speak.

**Representative Gosselin** moved to report **SB 1052** with recommendation. The motion was supported by **Representative Garfield**.

The motion prevailed by a vote of **7-0-0**.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Drolet, Hoogendyk, Gosselin, Garfield, Sheen, Emmons and Tobocman,  
Nays: None,  
Pass: None.

**Representative Emmons** moved to adopt the minutes of the **May 30, 2006** meeting. The motion was supported by **Representative Sheen**. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

**Representative Tobocman** moved to excuse absent members from the committee. The motion was supported by **Representative Hoogendyk**. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 10:53 a.m.

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**Representative Leon Drolet, Chair**  
**House Standing Committee on Government Operations**  
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Committee Clerk  
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23 Minutes